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TO CONTEST THE ELECTION. Candidates for Municipal Offices Charge Irregularities.

Judge F. M. Anderson and John Murphy, candidates for Mayor and Alderman, respectively, of Webster Groves at the last election, yesterday engaged Attorney R. H. Stevens of Chayton to institute contest proceedings against Thomas C. Young and G. E. McClure, the successful nominees.

The contestants charge that irregularities in the manner of conducting the last election contributed to their defeat. They allege that fraudulent votes were cast and that the counting was not done in a proper mainer. The election was the closest held in Webster Grovès for years. Anderson was only defeated by & votes.

Murphy was defeated only 2 votes. These 1 votes, he says, were cast by citizens of Kirkwood and should be excluded from the total. The proceedings probably will be formally instituted the latter part of the week.

NEW YORK-L. P. Mooers of Cleveland and Percy Owen of New York were elected to complete the team of three, which is to represent America in the international automobile rare for the James Gordon Bennett cup, which takes place in Ireland in July. Alexander Winton of Cleveland, the third man, was elected some time ago.



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CANCER DUE TO CHEMICAL CHANGES IN THE BLOOD.

Prominent Scientists Have Carried on Kind for Many Months.

New York, April 20.-In a few days the results of the investigations carried on for many months by well-known bacteriologists and toxicologists regarding the cause of ancer and cancerous growths probably will be fully revealed in a paper written by Doctor Bertram H. Buxton, the baceriologist and general scientist.

This paper will explain, according to a trustworthy source, that the cause, of cancer has at last been discovered, and that this truth has been proved to the satisfaction of men who stand high in the science of medicine. Briefly, the investigations have revealed, according to statements made: First, that cancer is due to the chemical changes in the blood. Second, that every part or tissue of a cancer has the power of producing fermen-

Third, that in their powers of causing fermentation the cancerous tissues are akin to the tissues of the stomach.

Fourth, that by proving this theory, the theory that cancer was due to a parasite was disproved.

CLAIMED TRANSFER WAS VOID.

Conductor Caused Arrest of James Boden on Disturbance of Peace.

James F. Boden of No. 23% Olive street was taken from a Cherokee street car in front of the Four Courts yesterday, where Conductor Willard preferred a charge of disturbing the peace against him.

The arrest of Boden is the third that has taken place in the same manner of late.

Boden, who boarded the car at Pine street on a transfer from an Olive street car, had trouble with the conductor.

The conductor refused to accept the transfer, saying he had orders not to accept transfers, unless they were presented by passengers who boarded the cars at the point for which the transfers were issued.

He demanded another fare. Boden refused to pay. The car went on to the Four Courts, where the conductor stopped it, summoned a policeman and had Boden arrested.

He was released on bond.

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Judge Pollard Stayed Fine Assessed Against Nicholas Joeckel.

Judge W. Jeff Pollard fined Nicholas Joeckel of No. 636 San Francisco avenue 310 in the Dayton Street Police Court yesterday for placing a rock upon the track to stop a Trainst car. The fine was stayed. Joeckel was on his way home from work last Friday evening and signaled four cars at Easton and Hamilton avenues to stop. He then placed a rock upon the track. The motorman of the next car saw the rock and stopped his-car. Joeckel boarded the car and the conductor caused his arrest.

Joeckel stated that his wife was ill and that he was anxious to get home. His statement in regard to his wife's condition was corroborated by other testimony.

Judge Pollard stayed the fine on account of Joeckel's anxiety in regard to his wife, but said that otherwise he would nave fined him heavily. He said interfering with street cars is a serious matter, as passengers are liable to injury.

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Labelle Schools Are Closed.

Labelle, Mo., April 2h.—The Labelle public schools closed with an entertainment last Saturday night. The graduating exercises of the high school took place Friday night. The graduates were Miss Edith Allen and Messra Floyd J. Wilson, Jay V. Holmes and J. Hugh Brookings. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

BERLIN-The Taegliche Rundschau says it learns authoritatively that Germany will enact reprisals against Canada on account of the action of the Dominion Government in imposing a surtax on German goods. The paper adds that all the political parties condemn the step taken by Canada.

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NAVAL EXPERTS INTERESTED IN REPAIRING OF MAINE

Expect That Remounting of the Disabled Guns Will Show Defects in the Construction.

Washington, April 39.-Naval experts will pay close attention to the repairing of the battleship Maine at the Cramps yards, where she was constructed. This vessel, the latest to be launched of the greater

where she was constructed. This vessel, the latest to be launched of the greater righting machines of the navy, and only placed in commission within the last few months, typined the highest development, it was believed, in the art of building war vessels up to that time.

That the mounting of its guns should have proved defective is disappointing to all interested, regardless of the cause. It is confidently expected, however, that in the progress of the repairs valuable information will be gained as to the proper mounting of guns on war vessels.

It is well known that as the length of the recoil of a gun is shortened the strain becomes more severe and the parts custaining the strain must be correspondingly strengthened. That they were not so bracel in the Maine is quite as likely to be due to inadequate provision in the plans as to faulty construction.

A tailure to adjust properly the carriage to the gun is the thing now in mayal annais, and the accident to the guns on the Maine has recalled to ordinance experts the fate of the gun mounts on the Brooklyn. Scarcely had Commodore Schley holsted his flag on the Brooklyn in Hampton Roads, preparatory to his departure for the West Indies at the beginning of the Spanish War, than in the firing of a broadside salute the mounts of the 3-inch guns were upset and displaced, so as to render extensive repairs necessary. She was taken to Newport News and work on her continued night and day until she was pronounced fit for duty. But still the mounts were insecure, for in the battle of Santiago all the S-inch guns used on the Brooklyn were again similarly disabled.

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PRESBYTERY CONVENES TO-DAY

Hannibal Conference Will Meet at Kirksville.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Kirksville, Mo., April 20.—The Hannibal (formerly the Falmyra) Presbytery will hold its regular meeting in the First Pres-byterian Church in this city Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week, the opening exercises beginning at 7:30 p. m. to-

There will be an application for a license There will be an application for a license and ordination by E. A. Junkins, which will likely precipitate a most interesting discussion in the presbytery. The next interesting question will be the election of two commissioners from the presbytery to the General Assembly, which meets in Los Angeles in May. There are a great number of candidates for these positions. The Woman's Presbyterian Missionary meeting will be held Wednezday and Thursday.

H. A. Hesse, Tailor, MAY BUILD IN KANSAS CITY.

Moses Wetmore Contemplates the

Erection of Office Building.

Kansas City, Mo., April 20.-Colonel Moses B. Wetmore of St. Louis, the former tobac-co manufacturer, and United States Senator William J. Stone, took breakfast together William J. Stone, took breakfast together at the Hotel Baltimore this morning. It is said that Colonel Wetmore may spend a million dollars in Kansas City. He says he and his associates are contemplating the erection of an office building. "I can't tell you who my associates are," said Mr. Wetmore, "but there are some Kansas City and St. Louis business men interested in the project."

Speaking of the boodlers, Colonel Wetmore said: "I hope they catch every man guilty of boodling and put him in the pen."

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WILL BE WELCOMED AT KIEL American Sailors Will Be Invited to Enter Boat Races.

Kiel, Prussia, April 20.—The warships of the United States European Squadron will be welcomed here in the yachting week, and the members of the Executive Committee of the Imperial Yacht Club have already dis-cussed informally how to entertain the American visitors.

The crews will be asked to take part in the boat mees, to which one day will be given up. given up.

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Broadway and Locust. RAILROAD IS FOUND LIABLE. Must Pay Damages to Brakeman

Whose Trousers Were Torn. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Washington, April 20.—The Supreme Court of the United States to-day decided that, alor the United Stales to-day decided that, al-though a railroad brakeman takes certain risks and must expect a certain amount of bumping of the cars on which he works, he is not expected to be prepared for the kind of bump that threw Abe Behmyer off the top of a Texas Pacific freight car, to whose ice-covered top he had climbed to release the brakes. the brakes.

The fact was mentioned, with due solmenity, that in his descent Behmyer's trousers caught on a nail.

The railroad's culpable negligence is established, and the verdict of the lower court for damages in favor of Behmyer is affirmed.

VAINLY TRIES TO SAVE BOY. Woman Finds Him With Foot

Caught in Railroad Track.

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Mount Vernon, Ill., April 20.—While on
his way to school this morning, the 6-yearoid son of John Dals, who lives at Bonnie,
got his foot fast between the guard plank
and the rail on the crossing and could not
extricate it. Knowing it was train time, he
cried for help.

A woman heard him and ran to his assistance. She tried to cut his shoe off. Secing she could not do it in time, she tried to
flag the train with her apron. The engineer reversed his engine, but could not
slop the train in time to save the boy, who
was run over, dragged for several feet and
picked up a corpse.

COUNTESS'S NEW HUSBAND A FOOTMAN

for Posing as "Prince Athrobald Stuart De Modena."

MARRIED ONLY LAST DECEMBER

Earl Russell's Marriage to an American Woman Gave His First Wife Grounds for Obtaining a Divorce in 1901.

London, April 29.-William Brown, a footman, was remanded to-day at Portsmouth on the charge of making a false entry at the Register's office there last December, when, under the name of "Prince Athro bald Stuart De Modena," he married Counters Russell, who obtained a divorce from her husband, Earl Russell, on the ground of the Earl's bigamy in marrying Mrs. Somerville in the United States.

ville in the United States.

Countess Russell was the first wife of Earl Russell. On March 28, 1901, she obtained a decree of divorce against the Earl on the ground of his bigamy in marrying Mrs. Mollie Somerville at Rene, Nev., the Earl having previously obtained a divorce from the Countess in the United States on the ground of desertion.

The Earl subsequently was arrested in England on the charge of bigamy, was tried at the bar of the House of Loods, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to three months' imprisonment as a first-class misdemeanant.

The Countess's decree of divorce was made absolute October 28, 1801, and the Earl again married Mrs. Somerville, October 21, 1801.

Countess Russell's maiden name was Mabel Edith Scott. She is the yourgest daugh-Countess Russell's majorn many bel Edith Scott. She is the youngest dau ter of the late Sir Claude Edward Scott.

TRAINS COLLIDE HEAD ON. Several Passengers and Trainmen

Hurt Near Spaulding, I. T. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Denison, Tex., April 20.—There was a head-end collision on the Frisco last night near Spaulding, I. T. Southbound passen-er train No. 307 and extra northbound traight No. 307 and extra northbound freight No. 337 collided.

The passenger was made up of a baggage car combination car, one coach and one

car combination car, one coach and one chair car. The entire equipment was disabled for service. The engine was detailed and badly critoled, also baggage and combination cars. The freight engine and several cars of cattle were detailed. The damage was serious.

Several passetters were quite seriously hurt. The following is a list of trainmen interest. Engineer Billy Hughes of the passenger train, seriously hurt in the back. Brakeman W. T. Armstrong of the passenger train, burt in the back and knee; Ed Hill, extra conductor of the freight, injured seriously.

SEPARATION CONTRACT VALID. Judge Kinealy Refused to Allow Mrs. Meier Alimony.

Circuit Judge Kinealy yesterday sustained a contract of separation entered into by Henry Meier and his wife, Katherine, and refused to allow her alimony, pending the trial of her husband's suit for divorce. The Judge, however, directed that Meier pay his wife \$40, with which to defend the suit.

The couple were married in October, 1873. Meier charged that his wife was jealous and quarrelsome, and wanted him to make over his property to his children. Although a laborer and not having received over \$1.75 a day, he supported his family and bought property worth \$1.200, he stated.

He and his wife agreed last June to separate, and she accepted \$500 in lieu of her claims upon nim for support, he stated.

Judge Kinealy said such contracts have been sustained by the Supreme Court. With regard to the divorce, he said it is different. It is Meier's duty to supply his wife with the means of defending the suit, he said.

SHERIFF LET HIS MAN ESCAPE. John Lally Was Discharged in One

Case and Fled. REPUBLIC SPECIAL Paducah, Ky., April 29.—John Tally of Mayfield was acquitted on the charge of a violation of the internal revenue laws in the Federal Court here this morning, and he immediately left the city. He was wanted at Mayfield to serve out a fine for selling whisky without a license, but the court did not know this.

Deputy United States Marshal Saunders was out summonitor witnesses at the time and Tally took advantage of the situation and departed. There are 125 indictments avainst him in the Graves Circuit Court on charges of violating the internal revenue laws. Paducah, Ky., April 29.-John Tally of

MASONS TO HOLD SESSION. Order of Priesthood Will Be Con-

ferred on Candidates. The Grand Commandery, K. T., the Grand The Grand Commandery, K. T., the Grand Council, R. and S. Masters, and Grand Chapter, R. A., of Missouri, will hold their annual meetings in this city, beginning to-day at the St. Niebolas Hotel.

The order of the meetings is as follows: Grand Commandery, K. T., Tuesday, 10 a. m.; Grand R. A. Chapter, Wednesday, 2.30 a. m.; Grand Council, R. and S. M., Wednesday, 2.70 p. m.; Order of High Priesthood, at Grand and Finney avenues. Wednesday, 7.20 p. m.

Farmington Conference.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Bonne Terre, Mo., April 20.—The District Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Farmington District, will meet at Flat River Tuesday morning. Doctor M. B. Chapman, formerly of St. Louis, but now pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, at Fredericktown, will preach the opening sermon. It is expected that Bishop Wilson will be present during the conference.

Missourians Prospect for Coal. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

BEFURIJC SPECIAL.

Browning, Mo., April 29.—A company is being organized here to prospect for coal on the farm of G. G. Horsman, north of town. The machinery is on the ground and the boring will commence to-morrow. The company is composed of J. W. Gibson, a wealthy farmer, residing south of town, and a number of capitalists from Kansas City.

Pullen Elected Chairman. REPUBLIC SPECIAL Greenville, Iii., April 26.—The Bond County Board of Supervisors was organized here to-day by the election of R. H. Pullen of Scrento chairman by unanimous vote. The board stands one Democrat and eight Republicans.

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MALADY DRIVES TO SUICIDE.

dence in Oconce, a prolonged attack of la grippe having unbalanced his mind.

Mr. Hinton was one of the pioneer settiers of Sheiby County, and the first man
to establish himself in the village of Ocones,
when the town was laid out, years ago. He

was prominent in politics and had repre-sented his township on the County Board of Supervisors for the last twenty-five years

Boy Shot While Playing.

with the exception of two terms.

MORE TRUST COMPANIES TO LEAVE THE CLEARING-HOUSE.

New York Institutions Object to Recent Rules Requiring a Certain Reserve to Be Maintained.

New York, April 38.-Two, if not three, of the leading trust companies of this city contemplate following the lead of the Union Trust Company by severing all connection with the Clearing-house Association.

with the Clearing-house Association. It is known that the Continental Trust Company and the New York Security and Trust Company have decided to take this action. The United States Mortgage and Trust Company is also, according to best information, likely to do the same.

It is presumed that these companies take the same ground as the Union Trust Company, which decided that the clearing-house of banks have no right to govern the affairs of the trust companies unless the latter are permitted to have a voice in the management of the Clearing-house Association.

The trust companies also take the ground that their deposits in the banks ought to be regarded as reserves. No gtatements concerning these probable withdrawals was obtainable from officials of the Clearing-house Association.

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ASKS POSSESSION OF HORSE. Housekeeper for Tom Allen Claims

Animal Was Given to Her. Tillie Heitgrove, housekeeper for Tom Allen, the veteran pugilist, who recently died, went to Clayton yesterday and had a writ of replevin issued to recover possession of a driving horse, valued at \$150, in the custody of William W. Heapes.

For several years it had been the custom of Allen to winter the animal at Heapes's farm. After his death, the Public Administrator notified Heapes not to give the norse to the woman, but to hold it, subject to his order. She maintains that Allen gave her the borse and that it cannot be included among the assets of his estate. The writ was given to Constable Lens to serve.

\$18 New Orleans and Return, American Medical Association meeting, May 1, 2, 3 and 4, via Illimois Central Rail-road. Stopovers.

Texas Court of Appeals.

Dallas, Tex., April 20,—Proceedings in the Court of Civil Appeals for the Fifth Su-preme Judicial District at Dallas, April 18, were as follows: REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Affirmed:
South Bend Iron Works vs. H. G. Wagner et al.; Dallas County.
Reversed and remanded:
St. Louis and Southwestern Raiway Company vs. J. Goodnight; Navarro County.
St. Louis and Southwestern Raiway Company vs. J. H. Sranon; Hepsins County.
Reversed and rendered:
Midland National Bank vs. M. W. Strickland;
Delias County.

Midland National Sank vs. M. W. Strickland; Dalias County.

The Judgment of the court below in the case of Jules P. Baughn et al. vs. Sam Allen, from Fannin County, was reversed and rendered as to sureties on Constable's bend and reformed and affirmed as to appellant Baughn.

Motions disposed of:

J. W. Perham et al. vs. J. M. Shockler; rehearing overruled as to Pariam and Jones and granted as to Smith and Tomilinson and cause reversed and remanded as to them.

A. W. May vs. W. P. Martin et al.; febraring overruled:

overroied.

T. P. S. McCown et al. vs. L. C. Hill et a. ;
rehearing overroied.

John T. McClendon et al. vs. Jeff Brockett et
al.; rehearing overruied. al.; reheating overtained.
Fennsylvania Fire insurance Company vs. D.
McCoy; file transcript granted.
Pete Yarborough vs. A. Y. Creager; file transcript granted.
Cases submitted;
J. M. Gray vs. Mrs. H. B. Chapman; Johnson County.

County.

Missouri, Kaness and Texas Raliway Company
vs. J. R. Florence; Camp County.
Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Company vs. F. M. Branham; Laufman County.
Missouri, Kaness and Texas Hallway Company
vs. H. E. Schilling: Grayson County.
J. B. Lowrey vs. M. B. Briggs; Upshir County.
Cases set for May 2:
L. C. Harwell vs. Southern Furniture Company; Bowle County.
Lancaster Cotion Oil Company vs. E. T. White;
Dallas County.

L. C. Harwell vs. Southern Furniture Com-pany; Bowle County; Lancaster Cotton Oil Company vs. E. T. White; Dallas County.

Alex Sanger vs. Jesse French Piano and Or-gan Company; Dallas County.

Dallas Electric Company vs. G. W. Mitchell; Dallas Cottonty.

G. R. Cassy vs. St. Louis and Southwestern Railway Company; Hill County, Cordenas Cotton Oil Company vs. J. A. Bac-ber; Hill County.

TRUST RE-ELECT DIRECTORS. John Hinton, Long an Official of Shelby County, Illinois. Board Will Meet May 5 to Choose Pres ident and Other Officers-Work REPUBLIC SPECIAL Shelbyville, Ill., April 20.—John Hinton, one of the well-known men of Shelby County, committed suicide this morning by frowning himself in a cistern at his resiof Year In Ratified.

New York, April 20.-The annual meeting of the stockholders of the United States Steel Corporation was held in Hoboken, N.

J., to-day. The acts of the directors, the Finance committee and the Executive Committee in the last year were approved. These acts included the purchase of the stock of the Union Steel Company and the stock and bonds of the Troy Steel Products Company. The following directors were re-elected for three years: Francis H. Peabody, Charles Steele, William H. Moore, Norman B. Ream, P. A. B. Widener, James H. Reed, H. C. Frick and William Edenborn. The Board of Directors will meet on May 5 for the purpose of electing a president and other officers. Among those present were: Charles M.

Schwab, president of the corporation, and George W. Perkins of J. P. Morgan & Co. The meeting was harmonious through-

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RIFLED A REGISTERED LETTER. Charles Moody Sentenced to Serve Year in Penitentiary.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Paducah, Ky., April 20.—Charles S. Moody of Shawnectown. Ill., was sentenced to serve a year at hard labor in the Atlanta. Penitentiary in the Federal Court here to-day on the charge of stealing \$140 from a registered letter. The alleged theft took place while Moody was employed as mail clerk on the steamer Joe Fowler. He is a young man and high-ly connected. His parents are dead,

Waxahachie. Tex. April 2.—While Walker and Howard Gibson, aged 8 and 6 years respectively, were playing with a target rifle, the former accidentally shot, and it is feared intally wounded the latter. The boys are the sons of C. W. Gibson, a prominent banker and merchant of this city. Cluett Brand Arrow Brane TYFOLD . Life straight Cluett, Peabody & Co.

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